Daedalus & Persephone Make-up Quiz

Answer each of the following questions.

1. In “Icarus and Daedalus,” we learn that Daedalus is a cunning mortal who has learned the secrets of the gods. *Cunning* has both negative and positive meanings. In the negative sense, a cunning person uses cleverness for dishonest purposes. In the positive sense, a cunning person is skillful and resourceful. In a paragraph, tell what you think Daedalus is like. Cite at least two examples from the text.
2. Who do you think is most responsible for the damage done to the earth and human beings in “Demeter and Persephone”—Eros, Pluto, or Demeter? In an essay explain your choice. Refer to at least two details from the selection to support your explanation.